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## CALIFORNIA EGG PRODUCTION

California's egg production during August totaled 291 million, down 3 million from July's production and down 2 million from August 2016. The all layers during the month totaled 12.0 million, down slightly from last month, but up 1 percent from August 2016. Eggs per 100 layers during the month were 2,427, compared to 2,445 a month earlier, and 2,454 in August 2016.

## U.S. AUGUST EGG PRODUCTION

United States egg production totaled 8.85 billion during August 2017, up 1 percent from last year. Production included 7.69 billion table eggs, and 1.17 billion hatching eggs, of which 1.09 billion were broiler-type and 77.3 million were egg-type. The total number of layers during August 2017 averaged 371 million, up 1 percent from last year. August egg production per 100 layers was 2,384 eggs, down slightly from August 2016.

All layers in the United States on September 1, 2017 totaled 372 million, up 1 percent from last year. The 372 million layers consisted of 312 million layers producing table or market type eggs, 56.7 million layers producing broiler-type hatching eggs, and 3.19 million layers producing egg-type hatching eggs. Rate of lay per day on September 1, 2017, averaged 76.2 eggs per 100 layers, down 1 percent from September 1, 2016.

## U.S. EGG-TYPE CHICKS HATCHED

Egg-type chicks hatched during August 2017 totaled 45.6 million, up 5 percent from August 2016. Eggs in incubators totaled 40.2 million on September 1, 2017, down 6 percent from a year ago.

Domestic placements of egg-type pullet chicks for future hatchery supply flocks by leading breeders totaled 254 thousand during August 2017, down 22 percent from August 2016.

## U.S. BROILER-TYPE CHICKS HATCHED

Broiler-type chicks hatched during August 2017 totaled 833 million, up 3 percent from August 2016. Eggs in incubators totaled 674 million on September 1, 2017, up 4 percent from a year ago.

Leading breeders placed 8.16 million broiler-type pullet chicks for future domestic hatchery supply flocks during August 2017, up 6 percent from August 2016.

## U.S. TURKEY HATCHERY PRODUCTION

Turkey eggs in incubators on September 1, 2017, in the United States totaled 28.9 million, down slightly from September 1, 2016. Eggs in incubators were down 3 percent from the August 1, 2017 total of 29.7 million eggs.

Turkey poults hatched during August 2017, in the United States totaled 24.8 million, up 2 percent from August 2016. Poults hatched were up 1 percent from the July 2017 total of 24.6 million poults.

The 24.0 million net poults placed during August 2017 in the United States were up 2 percent from the number placed during the same month a year earlier. Net placements were up 1 percent from the July 2017 total of 23.9 million.

# Layer on Hand & Egg Production During August, Molted as Percent of All Layers as of September 1 – States & United States

| State               | All layers       |                  | Eggs per 100 layers |               | Total egg production |                 | Layers being molted |                | Layers with molt completed |                |
|---------------------|------------------|------------------|---------------------|---------------|----------------------|-----------------|---------------------|----------------|----------------------------|----------------|
|                     | 2016             | 2017             | 2016                | 2017          | 2016                 | 2017            | 2016                | 2017           | 2016                       | 2017           |
|                     | <i>Thousands</i> | <i>Thousands</i> | <i>Number</i>       | <i>Number</i> | <i>Millions</i>      | <i>Millions</i> | <i>Percent</i>      | <i>Percent</i> | <i>Percent</i>             | <i>Percent</i> |
| Alabama.....        | 9,039            | 9,097            | 1,969               | 1,931         | 178.0                | 175.7           | 3.0                 | 1.0            | 9.5                        | 6.5            |
| Arkansas.....       | 13,681           | 13,717           | 2,116               | 2,086         | 289.5                | 286.2           | 1.5                 | 0.5            | 19.0                       | 16.5           |
| California.....     | 11,922           | 11,987           | 2,454               | 2,427         | 292.6                | 290.9           | 4.0                 | 3.5            | 15.5                       | 17.5           |
| Georgia.....        | 18,360           | 19,084           | 2,227               | 2,184         | 408.9                | 416.8           | 3.5                 | 4.5            | 13.5                       | 3.5            |
| Indiana.....        | 30,111           | 32,294           | 2,501               | 2,478         | 753.1                | 800.2           | 2.5                 | 4.0            | 15.0                       | 12.5           |
| Iowa.....           | 52,563           | 55,118           | 2,458               | 2,432         | 1,292.2              | 1,340.4         | 2.0                 | 4.0            | 10.0                       | 19.0           |
| North Carolina..... | 14,467           | 15,320           | 2,149               | 2,153         | 310.9                | 329.9           | 2.5                 | 1.5            | 13.0                       | 10.5           |
| Ohio.....           | 32,328           | 30,688           | 2,433               | 2,468         | 786.5                | 757.5           | 5.5                 | 5.0            | 25.5                       | 25.0           |
| Pennsylvania.....   | 26,748           | 27,196           | 2,595               | 2,540         | 694.2                | 690.7           | 1.0                 | 5.5            | 0.5                        | 0.5            |
| Texas.....          | 20,410           | 21,580           | 2,331               | 2,246         | 475.8                | 484.6           | 5.0                 | 2.5            | 48.0                       | 50.0           |
| United States.....  | 366,550          | 371,415          | 2,387               | 2,384         | 8,750.6              | 8,854.5         | 2.7                 | 3.3            | 16.5                       | 16.0           |

## Egg-Type Chicks Hatched by Month – United States: 2016-2017

[Blank data cells indicate estimation period has not yet begun]

| Month          | 2016             | 2017             | Percent of previous year |
|----------------|------------------|------------------|--------------------------|
|                | <i>Thousands</i> | <i>Thousands</i> | <i>Percent</i>           |
| January.....   | 47,775           | 44,906           | 94                       |
| February.....  | 54,289           | 48,456           | 89                       |
| March.....     | 57,055           | 55,457           | 97                       |
| April.....     | 51,266           | 52,025           | 101                      |
| May.....       | 57,306           | 53,073           | 93                       |
| June.....      | 57,562           | 48,828           | 85                       |
| July.....      | 41,609           | 41,463           | 100                      |
| August.....    | 43,258           | 45,632           | 105                      |
| September..... | 44,892           |                  |                          |
| October.....   | 43,344           |                  |                          |
| November.....  | 41,648           |                  |                          |
| December.....  | 45,633           |                  |                          |

## Eggs In Incubators – Regions and United States: September 1, 2016 and 2017

| Region                  | Broiler-type     |                  |                          | Egg-type         |                  |                          |
|-------------------------|------------------|------------------|--------------------------|------------------|------------------|--------------------------|
|                         | 2016             | 2017             | Percent of previous year | 2016             | 2017             | Percent of previous year |
|                         | <i>Thousands</i> | <i>Thousands</i> | <i>Percent</i>           | <i>Thousands</i> | <i>Thousands</i> | <i>Percent</i>           |
| North Atlantic.....     | 13,324           | 16,018           | 120                      | 7,229            | 7,376            | 102                      |
| East North Central..... | 15,226           | 16,371           | 108                      | 7,813            | 5,943            | 76                       |
| West North Central..... | 30,699           | 32,725           | 107                      | 12,973           | 13,384           | 103                      |
| South Atlantic.....     | 246,801          | 255,297          | 103                      | 4,542            | 4,580            | 101                      |
| South Central.....      | 318,419          | 327,576          | 103                      | 4,979            | 4,548            | 91                       |
| West.....               | 23,292           | 25,527           | 110                      | 5,290            | 4,391            | 83                       |
| United States.....      | 647,761          | 673,514          | 104                      | 42,826           | 40,222           | 94                       |

# **Broiler-Type Chicks Hatched – States and United States: August 2016 and 2017**

| State  | 2016             | 2017             | Percent of previous year |
|--|------------------|------------------|--------------------------|
|  | <i>Thousands</i> | <i>Thousands</i> | <i>Percent</i>           |
| Alabama .....                                    | 108,215          | 111,918          | 103                      |
| Arkansas.....                                    | 83,716           | 86,882           | 104                      |
| Delaware .....                                   | 17,614           | 18,402           | 104                      |
| Florida .....                                    | 4,441            | 4,383            | 99                       |
| Georgia.....                                     | 127,888          | 128,756          | 101                      |
| Kentucky.....                                    | 28,715           | 27,936           | 97                       |
| Louisiana.....                                   | 12,906           | 13,073           | 101                      |
| Maryland.....                                    | 29,731           | 30,050           | 101                      |
| Mississippi.....                                 | 67,118           | 66,879           | 100                      |
| Missouri.....                                    | 30,053           | 32,231           | 107                      |
| North Carolina.....                              | 76,879           | 82,089           | 107                      |
| Oklahoma.....                                    | 27,204           | 26,922           | 99                       |
| Pennsylvania .....                               | 16,848           | 18,168           | 108                      |
| South Carolina.....                              | 20,034           | 20,727           | 103                      |
| Texas.....                                       | 57,990           | 61,327           | 106                      |
| Virginia .....                                   | 24,399           | 23,829           | 98                       |
| California, Tennessee,<br>and West Virginia..... | 43,993           | 44,883           | 102                      |
| Other States <sup>1</sup> .....                  | 30,734           | 34,488           | 112                      |
| United States .....                              | 808,478          | 832,943          | 103                      |

<sup>1</sup> Not published separately to avoid disclosing data for individual operations.

## **Turkey Eggs in Incubators and Poults Hatched by Month – United States: 2015 - 2018**

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| Month           | Eggs in incubators first of month |                  | Percent of previous year | Poults hatched entire month |                  | Percent of previous year |
|-----------------|-----------------------------------|------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------------|------------------|--------------------------|
|                 | 2016-2017                         | 2017-2018        |                          | 2015-2016                   | 2016-2017        |                          |
|                 | <i>Thousands</i>                  | <i>Thousands</i> | <i>Percent</i>           | <i>Thousands</i>            | <i>Thousands</i> | <i>Percent</i>           |
| September ..... | 28,927                            | 28,886           | 100                      | 19,528                      | 23,645           | 121                      |
| October.....    | 28,409                            |                  |                          | 20,621                      | 23,572           | 114                      |
| November.....   | 27,179                            |                  |                          | 20,996                      | 22,782           | 109                      |
| December.....   | 28,795                            |                  |                          | 22,642                      | 25,422           | 112                      |
| January.....    | 29,961                            |                  |                          | 22,783                      | 25,332           | 111                      |
| February.....   | 29,906                            |                  |                          | 22,382                      | 23,598           | 105                      |
| March.....      | 30,030                            |                  |                          | 23,596                      | 25,719           | 109                      |
| April.....      | 28,597                            |                  |                          | 23,782                      | 23,179           | 97                       |
| May.....        | 28,825                            |                  |                          | 23,773                      | 24,067           | 101                      |
| June.....       | 29,441                            |                  |                          | 25,036                      | 25,075           | 100                      |
| July.....       | 29,271                            |                  |                          | 24,752                      | 24,616           | 99                       |
| August.....     | 29,725                            |                  |                          | 24,232                      | 24,783           | 102                      |

## **Net Poults Placements by Month – United States: 2015-2017**

[Includes imports and excludes exports. Blank data cells indicate estimation period has not yet begun]

| Month           | Total all breeds |                  | Percent of previous year | Cumulative total |                  | Percent of previous year |
|-----------------|------------------|------------------|--------------------------|------------------|------------------|--------------------------|
|                 | 2015-2016        | 2016-2017        |                          | 2015-2016        | 2016-2017        |                          |
|                 | <i>Thousands</i> | <i>Thousands</i> | <i>Percent</i>           | <i>Thousands</i> | <i>Thousands</i> | <i>Percent</i>           |
| September ..... | 19,041           | 21,581           | 113                      | 19,041           | 21,581           | 113                      |
| October.....    | 20,213           | 21,381           | 106                      | 39,254           | 42,962           | 109                      |
| November.....   | 20,946           | 21,334           | 102                      | 60,200           | 64,296           | 107                      |
| December.....   | 22,562           | 22,980           | 102                      | 82,762           | 87,276           | 105                      |
| January.....    | 21,991           | 22,966           | 104                      | 104,753          | 110,242          | 105                      |
| February.....   | 21,550           | 21,995           | 102                      | 126,303          | 132,237          | 105                      |
| March.....      | 22,537           | 23,544           | 104                      | 148,840          | 155,781          | 105                      |
| April.....      | 22,480           | 22,139           | 98                       | 171,320          | 177,920          | 104                      |
| May.....        | 23,291           | 22,538           | 97                       | 194,611          | 200,458          | 103                      |
| June.....       | 24,322           | 23,899           | 98                       | 218,933          | 224,357          | 102                      |
| July.....       | 24,432           | 23,915           | 98                       | 243,365          | 248,272          | 102                      |
| August.....     | 23,497           | 24,042           | 102                      | 266,862          | 272,314          | 102                      |